UTAH STATE OFFICE OF EDUCATION LEGISLATIVE TRACKING SHEET March 29, 2012

2012 EDUCATION-RELATED BILLS

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<u>HB 1</u>	Public Education Base Budget Amendments	M. Newbold	This bill appropriates funds for the support and operation of public education for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30, 2013.	<u>GS</u>		W					W
<u>HB 7</u>	Current School Year Supplemental Public Education Budget Adjustments	M. Brown	This bill modifies education funding for school districts, charter schools, and certain state agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011 and ending June 30, 2012 and modifies related budgetary provisions. This bill provides an immediate effective date.	<u>GS</u>							
HB 12	Corrections Education Amendments	B. Wright	This bill modifies provisions addressing the education of persons in the custody of the Utah Department of Corrections.	<u>GS</u>				W			
HB 15	Statewide Adaptive Testing	G. Hughes	This bill modifies the Utah Performance Assessment System for Students (U-PASS), including requiring school districts and charter schools to administer computer adaptive tests aligned with the common core. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education, as on ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$6,700,000. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>GS</u>	S	S		S W/C	S	S	
<u>HB 19</u>	State Issued Identification Numbers	W. Harper	This bill enacts the "State Issued Identification Number Act"; defines terms; exempts the State Tax Commission; and requires a government entity to phase out the use of a nine digit number as an identifying number for an individual if: the government entity can phase out the use of the number under existing appropriations; or the government entity is re-designing its information technology system and can phase out the nine digit number.	<u>GS</u>							
HB 24	Health Insurance for Schools	J. Bird	This bill defines terms; requires local school boards and charter schools to seek competitive bids on the health insurance benefits it offers school district employees beginning in the 2012-13 school year and every five years thereafter; and establishes criteria for the competitive bids for health care benefits.	<u>HFI</u>							
HB 41	Property Taxation of Business Personal Property	P. Painter	This bill increases a property tax exemption for business personal property; and makes technical and conforming changes. This bill takes effect on January 1, 2013.	<u>HFI</u>							
HB 53	Utah Education Network Amendments	R. Menlove	This bill creates the Utah Education Network Board, which is the governing board for UEN; specifies the membership of the Utah Education Network Board; specifies the power and duties of the Utah Education Network Board which include: hiring an executive director for UEN; establishing policy for the operation of UEN and the administration of UEN's duties; and advising UEN in the development of a telecommunications system to deliver educational services and the acquisition and distribution of instructional content; and makes technical amendments. This bill provides an immediate effective date.	<u>GS</u>	S	S					
<u>HB 59</u>	Alcoholic Beverage Control Act - Liquor Revenues for Public Education	J. Bird	This bill defines terms; directs the deposit of a portion of liquor revenues to the Education Fund; provides for the distribution to local educational agencies; establishes that the money may be used for operations, capital facilities, or debt service; and addresses money deposited into the Education Fund. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education, as an ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$31,580,833 subject to intent language that states that the appropriation is to be distributed as provided in statute.	<u>HFI</u>		S W/C		S	S	S	Н
HB 62	Provisions Regarding School Supplies	K. Powell	This bill allows an elementary school or elementary school teacher to provide to a student's parent or guardian a suggested list of supplies for use during the regular school day; and requires that a suggested list of supplies include specified language explaining that the supplies may be brought from home on a voluntary basis; otherwise, they will be furnished by the school.	<u>GS</u>	S	S		S	S	S	

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<u>HB 65</u>	College and Career Counseling for High School Students	P. Arent	This bill creates a pilot program in which grants are awarded to implement college and career counseling.	<u>HFI</u>	SC	H W/C	S	S		S	
HB 83	Reimbursement of Legal Fees and Costs to Officers and Employees Act Amendments	B. Dee	This bill modifies the Reimbursement of Legal Fees and Costs to Officers and Employees Act by amending provisions related to reimbursement of attorney fees to an officer or employee of a public entity.	<u>HFI</u>						S	
<u>HB 84</u>	Teacher Licensing	G. Hughes	This bill provides that a local school district or charter school may request a competency-based teaching license for an individual who has equivalent credentials to an academic degree, as determined by the local school district or charter school; modifies provisions related to converting a competency-based license to a level 1 teaching license; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>	N						
1SHB 91	Utah Enabling Act Litigation	K. Sumsion	This bill requires the attorney general to file an action for a declaratory judgment to enforce Section 9 of the Utah Enabling Act if the United States does not comply with certain demands; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>							
<u>HB 94</u>	Government Competition with Private Enterprise	J. Anderson	This bill defines terms; requires a government entity to conduct a study and contact private enterprise before engaging in certain commercial activity; requires the Privatization Policy Board to hold a public meeting and issue an advisory opinion about a government entity's proposed commercial activity; grants a private enterprise a private right of action to compel compliance with requirements of the part; addresses attorney fees and court costs; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>		0					0
HB 106	Limitation on Collective Bargaining	K. Grover	This bill modifies provisions relating to collective bargaining by public employers. This bill prohibits state and local government entities from engaging in collective bargaining on subjects other than wages and health benefits.	<u>HFI</u>		S W/C			0		0
HB 115	Peer Assistance and Review Pilot Program	C. Moss	This bill appropriates money for school districts to pilot programs that utilize peer assistance and review in evaluating certain teachers. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education - Utah State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as an ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$300,000. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>GS</u>		SC					
1SHB 123	Education Savings Accounts		This bill creates an education savings account for a student enrolled in grades 11 or 12 who opts to participate in a pilot project; directs the Legislature to provide an appropriation for a per pupil allocation to be deposited in an education savings account; requires the withholding of a portion of money a school district or charter school is otherwise eligible to receive under Title 53A, Chapter 17a, Minimum School Program Act, for a student who has an education savings account; provides that money in an education savings account may be used for: course fees for courses provided by a school district or charter school; course fees for online courses offered through the Statewide Online Education Program; course fees for courses provided by an institution within the state system of higher education or certain private, nonprofit higher education institutions in Utah; course fees for courses provided by certain entities under contract with the State Board of Education or State Board of Regents; and other fees required as a condition of student participation in an activity, class, or program; imposes a limitation on course fees; and requires the State Board of Education to report to the Education Interim Committee.	<u>HFI</u>							
HB 128	School Community Council Revisions	B. Wright	This bill modifies deadlines for providing notice of open school community council positions and holding a school community council election; requires a school community council to conduct deliberations and take action openly; establishes requirements for the notice, agenda, and minutes of a school community council meeting; exempts a school community council from the Open and Public Meetings Act; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>		SC	W				

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1SHB 135	Focus on Front-line Teachers Program		This bill defines terms; and creates the Focus on Front-Line Teachers Program, which provides for the distribution of additional WPUs to a qualifying district or charter school, depending on how relatively high the district or charter school is in comparison to the state average in its allocation of resources for front-line teachers. This bill appropriates to the Basic School Program, as an ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$5,000,000. This bill provides an effective date. This bill coordinates with S.B. 2, Public Education Budget Amendments.	<u>HFI</u>							
<u>HB 147</u>	Online Education Amendments	B. Last	This bill specifies the purpose of the Electronic High School; provides that the Electronic High School may only offer courses required for high school graduation or that fulfill core curriculum course requirements; requires a school district or charter school to offer online courses at the grades 9 through 12 level and online concurrent enrollment courses to students enrolled in the school district or charter school in grades 11 and 12; allows a school district or charter school to develop and teach online courses, and to ensure a wide selection of high quality online courses are offered; requires a school district or charter school to contract with an entity for online course content or online course instruction; allows a school district or charter school to form a consortium with other school districts or charter school for the purpose of contracting with an entity for online course content or online course instruction; allows a student the option to enroll in online courses for a certain number of course credits each year; provides that online course credit hours are included in daily membership, except a student may not count as more than one FTE, unless the student intends to complete high school graduation requirements and exit high school early; provides that a student enrolled in an online course may not take more than a full course load unless: the student intends to complete high school graduation requirements and exit high school early; or if allowed by local school board or charter school governing board policy; provides for the administration of statewide assessments to students enrolled in online courses; repeals provisions relating to the Statewide Online Education Program; and makes technical amendments. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>HFI</u>		S					
<u>HB 148</u>	Transfer of Public Lands Act and Related Study	K. Ivory	This bill addresses issues related to public lands, including the transfer of title to public lands to the state and requiring the Constitutional Defense Council to study or draft proposed legislation on certain issues related to public lands.	<u>GS</u>	SC	SC					
HB 149	Online Education Survey	S. Eliason	This bill provides for the establishment of a pilot online school survey system in which students, parents, and teachers evaluate schools. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>GS</u>		U					
<u>HB 156</u>	Public Education Program Amendments	M. Newbold	This bill eliminates public education programs and requirements. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>GS</u>		Н					
HB 158	Student-based Budgeting	D. Butterfield	This bill requires a school district to distribute certain revenues to schools in accordance with a weighted student formula and requires a principal to determine how to use revenues available to the school to meet students' needs.	<u>HFI</u>		O W/C					
НВ 197	Grants for Math Teacher Training		This bill appropriates money to the State Board of Education to award grants to institutions of higher education or nonprofit education organizations for math teacher training programs; specifies the qualifications of individuals eligible to receive the training; and requires the State Board of Education to make rules establishing criteria for awarding grants for math teacher training programs. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education, as an ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$500,000. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>GS</u>		H W/C					

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<u>HB 200</u>	Individual Income Tax Credit for Use Tax Liability	J. Nielson	This bill enacts a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain use tax liability; provides for apportionment of the tax credit; and makes technical and conforming changes. This bill has retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2012.	<u>HFI</u>		Н					
<u>HB 206</u>	Curriculum Options for Secondary School Students	J. Dougall	This bill provides that, beginning with the 2011-12 school year, a secondary student who attends a campus of the Utah College of Applied Technology is counted in the average daily membership of the sending school district or charter school; provides that a secondary student may attend a campus of the Utah College of Applied Technology if the student's technical education goals would be better achieved by attending the Utah College of Applied Technology as determined by the student's parent and, if the secondary student is a minor, the secondary student's parent or guardian; changes appropriations for certain programs within the basic school program and the flexible allocation program; sets the value of the weighted pupil unit at \$2,842 for fiscal year 2012-13 for certain basic school programs; and makes technical amendments. This bill provides an effective date. This bill provides for retrospective operation. This bill coordinates with S.B. 2 by providing superseding substantive amendments.								
HB 207	Requirements to Create School Districts	J. Dougall	This bill requires a city seeking to create a new school district contiguous with the city boundaries to have a minimum population of 30,000; and requires interlocal agreement participants seeking to create a new school district to have a combined minimum population of 30,000 within the proposed new school district boundaries.	<u>HFI</u>		0		W			W
HB 212	Dividing School Districts	J. Bird	This bill changes a process of creating a new school district by requiring a vote of residents located within each affected school district; and makes clarifying and technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>				S			S
HB 213	School Community Council Member Qualifications	L. Perry	This bill modifies the qualifications for a parent or guardian member of a school community council; requires the membership of a school community council to include two or more parent or guardian members than the number of school employee members; requires the number of parent or guardian members of a school community council who are not educators employed by the school district to exceed the number of parent or guardian members who are educators employed by the school district; and makes technical amendments.	<u>GS</u>							
HB 218	Local School Board Business Administrator	D. McCay	This bill defines terms; prohibits a local school board from appointing a business administrator during an interim vacancy period; and entering into a contract on or after May 8, 2012, that contains an automatic renewal provision with a business administrator; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>		O W/C					
<u>HB 230</u>	Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind Amendments	J. Seelig	This bill requires the State Board of Education to make rules regarding the qualifications, terms of employment, and duties for the superintendent of the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind; make rules regarding the operation of the Advisory Council for the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind; and report verbally and in written form annually to the Education Interim Committee on the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind; deletes provisions regarding the superintendent and the Advisory Council for the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>	S						
1SHB 231	Guardianship Amendments	K. Powell	This bill defines terms; requires a specialized care professional to be certified by the Center for Guardianship Certification; requires guardians to file a management plan within 90 days of appointment; and makes technical corrections. This bill takes effect January 1, 2013.	<u>HFI</u>							

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USBA, Bill# Title Description *Status USBE PTA UEA UAESP UASSP USEA Sponsor USSA HB 250 Tax Credit for Dependent with a I. Dougall This bill defines terms; allows a tax credit for a dependent adult with a disability or GS 0 0 0 Disability dependent child with a disability as part of the taxpayer tax credit; and makes technical and conforming changes. This bill has retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2012. **Education Funding Amendments** K. Powell This bill modifies the Minimum School Program Act regarding funding for a secondary HFI SC S S S S HB 258 school student who attends a regional applied technology college. Dividing of School Districts K. Sumsion This bill modifies requirements for the imposition of property taxes in a new district and Н W W HB 261 GS Amendments remaining school district after a school district split. HB 271 Public School Seismic Safety L. Wiley This bill creates the Public School Seismic Safety Committee that shall advise and make HFI S S Committee recommendations to the Legislature, governor, state superintendent, and State Board of Education on seismic safety issues in public schools. HB 279 Utah Schools Seismic Hazard L. Wiley This bill enacts the School Seismic Safety Act, which requires a school district or charter S LI HFI school to conduct a seismic evaluation of each facility used by the school district or charter Inventory school using specified standards; creates and specifies the duties of the Public School Seismic Safety Committee: directs the State Board of Education to adopt rules: and provides certain immunity from suit relating to a seismic safety evaluation; repeals the School Seismic Safety Act on July 1, 2022; and makes technical changes. This bill appropriates for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012 and ending June 30, 2013 to State Board of Education - School Seismic Safety as a one-time appropriation from the General Fund, \$500,000. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012. 1SHB 284 Regents' Scholarship Program J. Dougall This bill provides other requirements that a student may complete to qualify for a Regents' HFI Amendments Scholarship; and makes technical changes. HB 287 State Board of Education K. Sumsion This bill defines terms; makes changes to State Board of Education district boundaries to GS Boundary Amendments reconcile United States Census data with state maps: makes changes to State Board of Education district boundaries to resolve certain election administration issues; and makes technical corrections. This bill provides an immediate effective date. HB 289 Reauthorization of Corrections C. Watkins This bill modifies the repeal date of Section 53A-1-403.5, which provides for certain GS educational programs for persons in custody of the Utah Department of Corrections, Education Programs contracting for those services, a recidivism reduction plan, and which requires collaboration among certain state agencies in relation to the programs; and changes the repeal date of that section from July 1, 2012 to July 1, 2022. 1SHB 299 Tax Revisions . Dougall This bill allows a claimant to claim a nonrefundable tax credit for tuition and mandatory HFI fees for the claimant's enrollment in an institution within the state system of higher education; limits the nonrefundable tax credit to 5% of the claimant's tax liability before tax credits; and allows the claimant to carry forward the nonrefundable tax credit if the amount of the tax credit exceeds 5% of the claimant's tax liability before tax credits. This bill has retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2012. This bill modifies general government provisions to convert the Utah Immigration HB 300 Illegal Alien Related Amendments C. Herrod HFI Н Accountability and Enforcement Act to the Utah Illegal Alien Family Transition Pilot Program and to make related changes including addressing enforcement issues.

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НВ 311	Electronic Meetings for Charter School	B. Daw	This bill defines terms; authorizes a charter school board to conduct and convene an electronic meeting in writing on a website; requires notice to be given regarding when a vote will be taken; prohibits a charter school board member from communicating with another person while a vote is taken during an electronic meeting; exempts a charter school board from recording requirements; establishes requirements for a website on which an electronic meeting of a charter school board takes place; establishes a criminal penalty; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>		0				0	
НВ 324	Provisional Teaching Modifications	C. Herrod	This bill prohibits a school district from granting career employee status to a school district employee on or after July 1, 2012; reduces the notification time for a school district to notify a provisional employee that the provisional employee's contract will not be extended for a subsequent term of employment from 60 days to 30 days; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>		Н					
<u>HB 331</u>	School Board Election Provisions	J. Nielson	This bill defines terms; requires the direct, nonpartisan election of members of the State Board of Education; repeals the involvement of the governor and the nominating and recruiting committee in the nomination of candidates for the State Board of Education; establishes the primary election for the State Board of Education and local school boards on the second Tuesday following the first Monday in August of an odd-numbered year; establishes the general election for the State Board of Education and local school boards on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each odd-numbered year; designates a county clerk as the election officer for the election of the State Board of Education and local school boards; requires a notice for a school board election; establishes a ballot form for school board elections; establishes declaration of candidacy requirements for school board elections; establishes requirements for a school board primary election; changes the dates of an interim report of campaign finances; adjusts terms of current and future board members; and makes conforming and technical amendments. This bill takes effect January 1, 2014.	<u>HFI</u>		S					
НВ 336	Electronic High School Amendments	S. Sandstrom	This bill specifies the purpose of the Electronic High School provides that the Electronic High School may only offer courses required for high school graduation or that fulfill core curriculum course requirements; removes the Electronic High School as an online course provider in the Statewide Online Education Program; and makes technical amendments. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>HFI</u>		SC W/C					
НВ 337	Open Government Amendments	J. Dougall	This bill amends provisions of the Government Records Access and Management Act (GRAMA) and other portions of the Utah Code by requiring the disclosure of certain records and creating the Utah Public Records Website as a central location for the public to access public records.	<u>HFI</u>		0					
3SHB 350	Payroll Deduction Amendments	B. Daw	This bill modifies a provision requiring an employer to deduct an employee's wages for union dues if directed to do so by an employee; requires an employer to deduct also for membership dues in any professional or trade organization if an employee directs the employer to make the deduction; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>							
<u>HB 363</u>	Health Education Amendments	B. Wright	This bill modifies requirements for health instruction, including human sexuality instruction.	<u>GV</u>			0		0		

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НВ 364	School District Financial Reporting Amendments	J. Dougall	This bill requires a school district to include a report on revenues and expenditures of each school within the school district in the school district's annual audited financial report; requires a school district to provide data on revenues and expenditures of each school within the school district through the Utah Public Finance Website; requires a school district and a charter school to submit data on revenues and expenditures of a school to the State Board of Education, which shall be compiled into a database for analyses of school revenues and expenditures; and requires the State Board of Education to make rules specifying the revenues and expenditures to be reported for each school. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.			O W/C					
<u>HB 367</u>	Trust Lands Amendments	M. Noel	This bill provides that certain amounts deposited into the Interest and Dividends Account and appropriated from that account shall be used to provide funding for specified purposes related to trust lands; defines terms; establishes the School Children's Trust Section within the State Office of Education to perform certain duties related to trust lands; modifies the process for determining the membership of the School and Institutional Trust Lands Board of Trustees nominating committee; modifies the duties of the chief executive officer of the School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration; and makes technical and conforming changes.	_							
HB 370	Education on Free Enterprise System	K. Grover	This bill amends Title 53A, Chapter 13, Curriculum in the Public Schools, by creating the Free Enterprise Education Act, which requires a course on the free enterprise system in order to receive a high school certificate or diploma of graduation.		O U						
HB 381	Public Education - Assessment Amendments	B. Daw	This bill allows a school district or charter school to administer a criterion-referenced test or computer adaptive test during any assessment window established by the State Board of Education to allow a student who completes course requirements early to take the test immediately after completing the course requirements.			0					
НВ 389	Student Education Occupation Plan Amendments	M. Newbold	This bill defines a student education/occupation plan (SEOP) as a plan to be initiated early in the student's secondary education to guide a student in course selection and prepare a student for post-secondary options; and makes technical changes.								
НВ 392	Charter School Funding Revisions	S. Sandstrom	This bill modifies a school district's contribution of school district revenues for charter school students; and requires a property tax notice to state the amount of property taxes imposed on the taxpayer that represents revenue distributed to charter schools. This bill provides an effective date.			S					
НВ 397	Charter School Start-up Amendments	B. Dee	This bill provides for grants to charter schools for expenses for planning and implementation of a charter school; allows the State Charter School Board to use a portion of the money appropriated for charter school start-up costs for financial monitoring of new charter schools and professional development or technical assistance for governing board members and staff of new charter schools; and directs the State Board of Education to make rules for the award and use of grants for charter school start-up costs. This bill appropriates: to the State Board of Education - State Charter School Board, as an ongoing appropriation for fiscal year 2012-13: from the Education Fund, \$2,500,000. This bill provides an effective date.	_							

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НВ 398	Allocation of School Trust Lands Funds	C. Herrod	This bill modifies the formula for distributing school trust lands funds by providing that: a charter school shall receive a base amount equal to 1/7 of the amount that a school district receives; and a school district annually may not lose more than \$2 per student than the school district's per student allocation in the 2011-12 school year as a result of the change in the formula. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>HFI</u>		0					
HB 414	School Bonding for Seismic Purposes	G. Froerer	This bill requires a school district to use a portion of the proceeds of a general obligation bond issued after May 8, 2012, to conduct or update a seismic safety evaluation of a school district building constructed before 1975.	<u>GV</u>		0					
HB 415	Protection of Athletes with Head Injuries Act	P. Ray	This bill amends definitions; requires that each agent of an amateur sports organization be aware of the organization's concussion and head injury policy; requires that an amateur sports organization or its agent immediately remove a child from participating in a sporting event if the organization or agent knows or should have known the child sustained a concussion or traumatic head injury; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>							
1SHB 417	Education on Process for Electing Public Officials	S. Barlow	This bill requires students to be taught about the system of electing public officials; and specifies that the instruction is not intended to be a separate program needing additional funding and that the curriculum may be developed with other curriculum generally.	<u>HFI</u>							
HB 418	Charter School Reporting Requirements	D. McCay	This bill eliminates a requirement that a charter school or school district submit a monthly report on students who have accepted enrollment in the charter school or school district for the following year.	<u>HFI</u>		0					
HB 420	Parent Education Initiative	S. Eliason	This bill requires school districts to offer an annual seminar to parents, with information on substance abuse, bullying, mental health, and Internet safety; requires the State Board of Education to: develop a curriculum and provide it to requesting school districts; and report on the program to the Education Interim Committee; and requires a school district to notify charter schools located within the school district's boundaries of the parent seminar.	<u>HFI</u>		U					
<u>HB 430</u>	Classified School Employee Amendments	B. Last	This bill provides that, for purposes of determining retirement benefits provided under the Utah State Retirement and Benefit Insurance Act, a regular full-time employee does not include a classified school employee: who is hired on or after July 1, 2012, and does not receive benefits normally provided by the participating employer; or who is hired before July 1, 2012, who does not receive benefits normally provided by the participating employer, and whose employment hours are increased on or after July 1, 2012; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>		S					
HB 433	Expanded Uses of School District Property Tax Revenue	K. McIff	This bill allows local school boards to use revenue collected from certain capital property tax levies for certain General Fund purposes for fiscal years 2010-11 and 2011-12; requires a local school board to notify taxpayers of certain uses of property tax revenue; and makes technical changes.	<u>HFI</u>							
НВ 437	Public Employee Health Care Benefits	B. Daw	This bill clarifies that health insurance benefits provided to employees do not constitute a continuing obligation; requires the Public Employee Health Plan to provide training on changing coverages to the high deductible plan with a health savings account, including coordination of benefits with other insurances; requires PEHP to coordinate annual open enrollment with the Department of Human Resource Management; establishes minimum annual employer contribution amounts and payout provisions for the employer paid health savings account contributions; requires the state to offer continuing high deductible health plan coverage under certain circumstances after the employee has the exhausted Federal COBRA insurance; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>							

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Bill# Title Description *Status USBE PTA UEA UAESP UASSP USEA Sponsor USSA HB 441 Charter School Enrollment D. McCay This bill allows a charter school whose mission is to enhance learning opportunities for GS Amendments refugees or children of refugee families to give an enrollment preference to refugees or children of refugee families; allows a charter school whose mission is to enhance learning opportunities for English language learners to give an enrollment preference to English language learners; and makes technical amendments. HB 445 Clubs in Public Schools S. Sandstrom This bill prohibits schools from charging a noncurricular club for school facilities use; HFI LI addresses appeals; and makes technical changes. HB 454 Open Enrollment Amendments D. Brown This bill amends the early enrollment period application date for admission for the next GS school year to a school that is not a student's school of residence if: the school district is doing a district wide grade reconfiguration of its elementary, middle, junior, and senior high schools; and the grade reconfiguration will be implemented in the next school year; requires a local school board to adopt policies that require written notification to the parents or legal guardians of each student that resides within the school district and other interested parties of the revised early enrollment period if the school district is doing a district wide grade reconfiguration of its elementary, middle, junior, and senior high schools and the grade reconfiguration will be implemented in the next school year; and makes technical changes. Traffic Violations Around School B. Wilson This bill modifies the Traffic Code by amending provisions relating to traffic violations HB 456 HFI around school buses. HB 477 Employment and Verification S. Sandstrom This bill modifies the Utah Labor Code, general government provisions, and oversight HFI Requirements provisions to adopt the Utah Illegal Employment Act and repeal other verification programs. This bill modifies Title 26, Chapter 53, Protection of Athletes with Head Injuries Act, and HB 492 Training of School Nurses P. Ray HFI Title 53A, Chapter 6, Educator Licensing and Professional Practices Act, by clarifying the requirements of a school nurse engaged in treating a student who sustains a concussion or traumatic head injury. HB 500 **Education Reporting Efficiency** R. Wilcox This bill directs the State Board of Education to determine how to modify or eliminate GS S Amendments reporting requirements to reduce the time school district and charter school personnel spend in completing reports. HB 501 Youth Suicide Prevention E. Hutchings This bill requires the State Board of Education to develop or adopt sample materials to be GS used by a school district or charter school regarding student suicide prevention; and requires school districts and charter schools to provide professional development training on youth suicide prevention. HB 503 Construction Amendments M. Morley This bill amends provisions of the Utah Code relating to construction contract terms, bond GS W claims, and lien claims. HB 507 School Allocations Measured by . Dougall This bill defines terms; and provides certain allocations to charter schools and school HFI Property Tax districts from income taxes deposited into the Education Fund equal to the amount of property tax paid for specified real property leased by the charter school or school district if certain conditions are met. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.

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<u>HB 513</u>	Early Intervention Program	M. Newbold	This bill creates an early intervention program, targeted to at-risk students, delivered through a voluntary enhanced kindergarten program at school districts and charter schools that choose to offer the program; establishes guidelines for the State Board of Education to distribute early intervention funds, based on at-risk indicators; requires the State Board of Education to select one or more technology providers, through a request for proposals process, to provide interactive computer software for literacy or numeracy instruction, or both, and assessments for students in kindergarten and grade 1; requires the State Board of Education to report final testing data regarding an interactive computer software program, including student learning gains, to the Education Interim Committee and the governor. This bill appropriates: to Related to Basic, as a one-time appropriation: from the Education Fund, \$7,500,000; and to the State Board of Education - State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as a one-time appropriation: from the Education Fund, \$2,500,000. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>GS</u>							
1SHB 514	Public and Higher Education Technology Amendments	M. Newbold	This bill directs the State Board of Education, Salt Lake Community College, and the Utah College of Applied Technology to provide for an educational program on the use of information technology; and specifies the components of an educational program on the use of information technology. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>GS</u>							
<u>HB 515</u>	Upstart Amendments	M. Newbold	This bill requires the State Board of Education to assign a unique student identifier to each child who participates in UPSTART for the purpose of tracking individual student performance on achievement tests.	<u>HFI</u>							
2SHJR 1	Sustainable Schools Joint Resolution	M. Wheatley	This joint resolution of the Legislature encourages the Utah State Board of Education and Utah's school districts to consider ways to establish schools in the state of Utah that promote a healthy environment for students, as well as being energy efficient in their operation and development.	PHS							
HJR 2	Joint Resolution on World Class Curriculum	M. Poulson	This joint resolution of the Legislature urges Utah's public schools to provide their students with reading, writing, and math competency and with broad enrichment opportunities in other subjects.	<u>HFI</u>		S	S				
<u>HJR 19</u>	Joint Resolution on Intent Language	F. Gibson	This resolution enacts a joint rule concerning intent language; requires that 24-hour notice be given before the Executive Appropriations Committee or an appropriations subcommittee adopts intent language; requires that proposed intent language include the name of the legislator proposing the language; and stipulates the purposes for which the Legislature may use intent language.	<u>HFI</u>							
<u>SB 2</u>	Public Education Budget Amendments	L. Hillyard	This bill supplements or reduces appropriations previously provided for school districts, charter schools, and certain state education agencies for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012 and ending June 30, 2013, and modifies related budgetary provisions. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012. This bill coordinates with H.B. 1, Public Education Base Budget Amendments, by providing superseding substantive amendments.	<u>GS</u>							
<u>SB 10</u>	College and Career Readiness Assessment	M. Dayton	This bill modifies the Utah Performance Assessment System for Students (U-PASS), including requiring school districts and charter schools to administer college and career readiness assessments adopted by the State Board of Education.	<u>SFI</u>	S	Н		S W/C			
<u>SB 30</u>	Administrative Rules Reauthorization	H. Stephenson	This bill reauthorizes all state agency administrative rules. This bill takes effect on May 1, 2012.	<u>GS</u>		O W/C	0		0	0	O W/C

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SB 31	Classroom Size Amendments	K. Morgan	This bill limits the number of students who may be assigned to a teacher who teaches a core curriculum course in kindergarten through grade 3, unless a paraprofessional is assigned to the teacher's class for the duration of the core curriculum course; establishes qualifications for a paraprofessional assigned to a class that exceeds the maximum class size requirement; and provides that a school district or charter school is eligible to receive money appropriated for class size reduction, if the school district or charter school complies with requirements to limit class size in kindergarten through grade 3 or assign a paraprofessional to a class that exceeds the maximum class size. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.	<u>SFI</u>	SC	S W/C	S W/C	SC	Н	SC	SC
SB 48	Mission of Public Education	P. Jones	This bill adds a vision statement for the public education system; adds language to broaden and update the mission statement of public education; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>	S	S				S	
1SSB 54	Amendments Related to Education Funding	B. McAdams	This bill makes changes to tax and education provisions to provide for education funding and requires certain advertisement related to education funding. This bill provides effective dates. This bill provides for retrospective operation.	<u>SFI</u>							
1SSB 59	Income Tax Contribution for Elementary Schools	R. Romero	This bill provides an individual income tax contribution for elementary schools; requires the State Board of Education to provide a list of elementary schools in the state to the State Tax Commission on an annual basis for purposes of the income tax contribution; provides that the school principal, in consultation with the school community council or governing board of a charter school, shall determine the purposes for which amounts an elementary school receives from the contribution shall be expended; provides that if the collections from the contribution and other education-related contributions do not meet a certain threshold amount, the State Tax Commission shall remove the designations for those contributions from the individual income tax return and may not collect the contributions; and makes technical and conforming changes. This bill provides effective dates. This bill provides for retrospective operation for a taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2012.	<u>SFI</u>		S					
SB 64	Public Education Employment Reform	A. Osmond	This bill reorganizes provisions regarding: the status and termination of school district employees; and educator evaluations; creates the Public Education Human Resource Management Act; directs the State Board of Education to make rules requiring the performance of school district employees to be evaluated annually, with exceptions; requires data on school district educator ratings to be publicly reported; prescribes procedures for the nonrenewal or termination of a career employee's contract for unsatisfactory performance; restricts the transfer of a public education employee with unsatisfactory performance; directs the State Board of Education to make rules requiring a school district's employee compensation system to be aligned with the district's annual evaluation system; requires the salary of certain school or district administrators to be contingent on an evaluation; and makes technical amendments.	<u>GS</u>							
1SSB 67	Teacher Effectiveness and Outcomes Based Compensation	J. Adams	This bill requires that summative evaluations of teachers: differentiate among four levels of performance; and be based on student learning growth and the extent to which a teacher meets teacher effectiveness standards; requires reporting on the number and percentage of a school's teachers in each of the four summative evaluation rating categories; requires a local school board to develop and implement salary schedules for teachers based on a teacher's performance; provides that the assignment of personnel to a school is subject to the approval of the school principal; and makes technical amendments.	<u>SFI</u>							

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SB 81	Paraeducator Funding	K. Mayne	This bill provides funding for Title 1 school improvement schools to hire paraeducators to assist in teaching; and requires the State Board of Education to report on funding expenditures. This bill appropriates to the Related to Basic Program, as an ongoing appropriation from the Education Fund, \$500,000.	<u>GS</u>		0					
SB 82	Equal Access for Education Employee Association Amendments	M. Madsen	This bill amends provisions related to education employee associations; and makes technical changes.	<u>SFI</u>		0					
SB 93	Retention Proceeds Revisions	S. Jenkins	This bill clarifies the meaning of public agency; modifies how retention money is held and accounted for; and limits the amount a local school board may retain until a school construction project is completed and accepted by the board to 5% of the contract price.	<u>GS</u>		S					
SB 97	Grants for Online Testing	A. Osmond	This bill provides for grants to school districts and charter schools to implement a uniform online summative test system, an online adaptive test system, or both. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education - Utah State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as an ongoing appropriation for fiscal year 2012-13: \$5,000,000 from the Education Fund; and to the State Board of Education - Utah State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as a one-time appropriation for fiscal year 2012-13: \$15,000,000 from the Education Fund. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.		S	SC W/C		W		W	
SB 138	Health Insurance Mandate Accountability Amendments	T. Weiler	This bill applies a health insurance mandate that is enacted by the state after January 1, 2012, to a public school district, charter school, or a state funded institution of higher education; requires the state to evaluate the cost of an insurance mandate enacted after January 1, 2012, for the state employees' risk pool, a public school district, a charter school, and state funded institutions of higher education; requires the state to appropriate the cost of implementing a health insurance mandate enacted after January 1, 2012, to the participating employers in the state employees' risk pools, public school districts, charter schools, and state funded institutions of higher education; and makes technical amendments. This bill provides an immediate effective date.	<u>GS</u>							
<u>SB 151</u>	Students at Risk of Academic Failure Study	H. Stephenson	This bill directs the Education Interim Committee in 2012 to study: programs and initiatives in the state and other states to assist students who score below proficient on assessments of academic achievement or are economically disadvantaged; and whether funding for the Carson Smith Scholarships for Students with Special Needs program is sufficient to meet the demand for scholarships.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 152	Charter School Financing	J. Valentine	This bill amends provisions regarding the financing of charter schools, establishes the Charter School Credit Enhancement Program, and establishes the Charter School Reserve Account. This bill appropriates to the State Board of Education - Charter School Reserve Account, as a one-time appropriation for fiscal year 2012-13; from the Education Fund, \$3,000,000. This bill takes effect on July 1, 2012.		N	W					
SB 153	Procurement Amendments	W. Niederhauser	This bill recodifies and amends the Utah Procurement Code. This bill takes effect on May 1, 2013. This bill coordinates with S.B. 114, Contesting Public Procurements, by providing substantive and technical amendments. This bill coordinates with S.B. 165, Redevelopment Agency Amendments, by providing substantive and technical amendments.	<u>GS</u>							

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SB 162	Division of School Districts	A. Osmond	This bill changes the process of creating a new school district by requiring a vote of residents located within each affected school district; and makes clarifying and technical changes.	<u>SFI</u>		S					
SB 165	Redevelopment Agency Amendments	T. Weiler	This bill defines terms; amends language related to a notice of an impending boundary action required when an agency is created; amends language related to a public entity's authority; amends tax increment and sales tax provisions; amends language related to the duties of a taxing entity committee; amends the definition of "local public procurement unit"; and makes technical corrections.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 175	School Grading Amendments	W. Niederhauser	This bill requires the State Board of Education to study modifications to a school grading system model provided in statute; and make recommendations to the Education Interim Committee for a school grading system; and provides that the school grading system shall take effect for the 2012-13 school year.	<u>GS</u>	S	S					
SB 178	Statewide Online Education Program Amendments	H. Stephenson	This bill requires the program name, "Statewide Online Education Program," to be used in the dissemination of information on the program; provides that the State Board of Education, including an employee of the State Board of Education, may not give preference to an online course or online course provider; modifies the fees paid to an online course provider for an online course; modifies the date when an online course provider receives payment for an online course; prescribes when a student may withdraw from an online course; prescribes procedures for the completion of a course credit acknowledgement; prohibits a student who enrolls in an online course from being counted in membership for a released-time class, if counting the student in membership for a released-time class, would result in the student being counted as more than one FTE; permits a student taking an online course to take more than a full course load if allowed under local school board or charter school governing board policy; modifies requirements for reports on the performance of an online course provider; provides for a declaration of intent to enroll in an online course and changes to a high school course schedule; provides for reporting of noncompliance, and enforcement of compliance, with requirements of the Statewide Online Education Program; specifies the purpose of the Electronic High School; provides that the Electronic High School may only offer courses required for high school graduation or that fulfill core curriculum course requirements; removes the Electronic High School as an online course provider in the Statewide Online Education Program; and; and makes technical changes. This bill provides effective dates.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 191	Accountability for School Attendance	J. Stevenson	This bill allows a law enforcement officer acting as a school resource officer to issue notices of compulsory education violation, notices of truancy, and habitual truant notices; specifically exempts a student that attends school at home from truancy violation provisions; removes exclusive jurisdiction of certain truancy violations from the juvenile court; ; and makes technical changes.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 196	Software for Special Needs Children	W. Niederhauser	This bill provides computer software programs and activity manuals to certain students with autism and other special needs.	<u>GS</u>		LI					
SB 213	Charter School Enrollment	H. Stephenson	This bill provides for an increase in the enrollment capacity of a charter school that has students in grades 9 through 12 enrolled in an online course through the Statewide Online Education Program, subject to the Legislature appropriating funds for the increase in enrollment capacity.	<u>GS</u>		0					

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SB 216	Digital Safety for Utah Secondary Schools	A. Osmond	This bill requires the State Board of Education to contract with a provider, selected through a request for proposals process, to provide online tools, hardware, software, training resources, and incident management processes to secondary school students; and directs the State Board of Education to distribute the procured materials to school districts and charter schools. This bill appropriates: to the State Board of Education - Utah Office	<u>SFI</u>	<u>OSBE</u>	USSA O	TIA	<u>OLA</u>	UALSI	<u>0A331</u>	USLA
SB 217	Math Materials Access Improvement Grant	A. Osmond	of Education - Initiative Programs, as a one-time appropriation: from the Education Fund, \$450,000. This bill provides an effective date. This bill requires the State Board of Education to develop a new set of mathematics curricula consistent with Utah's Common Core standards for public school students; requires the State Board of Education to select a content developer to develop new mathematics textbooks for students in grades 7 and 8 and an adaptive performance assessment program; requires the State Board of Education to select a publisher through a request for proposals process to produce and publish mathematics textbooks, including online materials, consistent with the new mathematics curricula; requires a content developer to develop an adaptive performance assessment program to measure the effectiveness of the new mathematics textbooks; gives a publisher the exclusive rights to								
SB 223	Pledge of Allegiance Amendments	A. Osmond	sell a new mathematics textbook developed under this program, to a person outside of Utah under certain conditions; requires the publisher to pay 50% of the proceeds from a sale of certain mathematics textbooks to the State of Utah to be deposited into the Education Fund; and makes technical amendments. This bill provides an effective date. This bill modifies requirements for reciting the pledge of allegiance in public schools.	<u>GS</u>		S W/C					
SB 226	High Quality Preschool Project	A. Osmond	This bill defines terms; establishes the High Quality Preschool Pilot Program to fund certain preschool programs to serve certain at-risk students; details components of high quality preschools that schools shall adopt to receive funding; requires the State Board of Education to: solicit proposals from qualifying education agencies that want to receive the grants; award grants for preschool programs; monitor and evaluate the programs; and develop policies and enact rules; establishes reporting requirements; provides for partnerships with private providers; and repeals the High Quality Preschool Pilot Program on July 1, 2017.			,					
SB 248	Smart School Technology Act	J. Stevenson	This bill creates a pilot project known as the Smart School Technology Program to encourage the deployment of a whole-school technology plan in public schools; directs the Board of Business and Economic Development to select a private education technology provider through a request for proposals process to develop and implement a whole-school technology deployment plan for schools; provides for the establishment of an independent evaluating committee to advise the Board of Business and Economic Development on issuing a request for proposals and selecting an education technology provider; specifies the components of a whole-school technology deployment plan; directs the State Board of Education to: select schools to participate in the program; make rules for selecting schools to participate in the program; and evaluate the program and report to the Education Interim Committee; allows up to \$3,000,000 of the Industrial Assistance Account to be used one-time for the purpose of incubating technology solutions related to economic and workforce development; and repeals the pilot project after three years. This bill provides an immediate effective date.								

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SB 249	Firearm Possession Amendments	M. Madsen	This bill provides that a person who complies with Utah law regarding the possession of firearms is exempt from federal license and verification provisions.	<u>SFI</u>					0		
SB 261	Charter School Revisions	J. Adams	This bill requires the State Board of Education to prioritize charter schools for funding when the Legislature does not appropriate enough funds for all tentatively approved charter schools; and increases the annual fee that a higher education institution may charge to provide oversight of, and technical support to, a charter school established as authorized by the higher education institution.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 273	Surplus Property Amendments	B. McAdams	This bill adds purposes for which surplus property may be used by an eligible entity that acquires it.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 284	Concurrent Enrollment Amendments	S. Urquhart	This bill authorizes institutions of higher education to charge partial tuition for certain higher education courses offered in public schools through concurrent enrollment; requires that concurrent enrollment courses: be introductory-level courses at higher education institutions; and with exceptions, be offered through the higher education institution in the appropriate geographical service region; requires the State Board of Regents to develop certain technology-intensive concurrent enrollment courses; establishes reporting requirements; and makes technical and conforming changes.	<u>GS</u>							
SB 285	Education Contribution on Tax Returns	D. Thatcher	This bill provides an individual income tax contribution for the Invest More for Education Account; creates a restricted account known as the Invest More for Education Account including: providing funding for the account; and providing that the Legislature may appropriate money from the account for the support of the public education system; provides that if the collections from the contribution do not meet a certain threshold amount, the State Tax Commission shall remove the designation for the contribution from the individual income tax return and may not collect the contribution; and makes technical and conforming changes.	<u>SFI</u>		SC					
SB 286	College Readiness Assessment	S. Urquhart	This bill directs the State Board of Regents to develop, or contract with an outside provider to develop, an assessment tool that: assesses students' readiness for higher education; and helps students identify weaknesses to remediate. This bill appropriates: to the State Board of Regents - Education Excellence, as a one-time appropriation: from the Education Fund, \$500,000.	<u>GS</u>		O W/C					
SB 287	Core Curriculum Standards Amendments	M. Dayton	This bill provides that the state may exit any agreement, contract, memorandum of understanding, or consortium that cedes control of Utah's core curriculum to any other entity for any reason; and makes technical amendments.	<u>GS</u>		0					
SB 289	K - 3 Reading Program Technology	J. Adams	This bill requires the State Board of Education to select a technology provider through a request for proposals process to provide a computer software program for literacy instruction for students in kindergarten through grade 3. This bill appropriates: to the State Board of Education State Office of Education Initiative Programs, as a one-time appropriation for fiscal year 2012-13: from the Education Fund, \$3,000,000. This bill provides an effective date.	<u>SFI</u>		0					
SB 290	Utah Futures Program	H. Stephenson	This bill requires the Utah Futures Steering Committee to include certain features into the Utah Futures website; requires the Utah Futures Steering Committee to select at least one technology provider, on or before May 15, 2012, through a request for proposals process, to provide technology and support for Utah Futures; and defines terms.	<u>GS</u>							

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<u>SCR 5</u>	Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Parental Engagement in the Education of Children	P. Jones	This concurrent resolution of the Legislature and the Governor recognizes and supports parental engagement in the education of their children and efforts to increase parent engagement.	<u>GS</u>	S		S			S	
2SSCR 13	Concurrent Resolution on Common Core Standards	A. Osmond	This resolution urges the State Board of Education to reconsider the board's decision to adopt the Common Core standards and, in reconsidering the decision, evaluate the cost, control, and quality of Utah standards in comparison to the cost, control, and quality of the Common Core standards.	<u>SFI</u>							
SJR 3	Joint Resolution - Master Study	S. Jenkins	This resolution gives the Legislative Management Committee items of study it may assign to the appropriate interim committee during the 2012 legislative interim; directs interim committees assigned these studies to study and make recommendations for legislative action to the 59th Legislature before the 2013 Annual General Session; and suggests that the Legislative Management Committee, in approving studies, give consideration to the available time of legislators and the budget and capacity of staff to respond to the assigned studies.	<u>PSH</u>							
SJR 5	Joint Resolution on Education	S. Reid	This resolution proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to move the general control and supervision of the public education system from the State Board of Education to the Governor, as provided by statute, and make conforming changes; and provide that the Governor has general control and supervision of the higher education system, as provided by statute. This resolution directs the Lieutenant Governor to submit this proposal to voters. This resolution provides a contingent effective date of January 1, 2013, for this proposal.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJR 6	Joint Resolution Amending State Taxing Authority	C. Anderson	This resolution proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to require a two-thirds vote of the Legislature when enacting any tax increase or any fee increase that exceeds the cost of providing a service. This resolution directs the lieutenant governor to submit this proposal to voters. This resolution provides a contingent effective date of January 1, 2013, for this proposal.	<u>SFI</u>		0					
SJR 9	Joint Rules Resolution - Utah College of Applied Technology Appropriations Subcommittee	S. Reid	This rules resolution modifies the joint legislative rules to establish a new appropriations subcommittee entitled the Utah College of Applied Technology Appropriations Subcommittee.	<u>SFI</u>							
1SSJR 22	Joint Resolution on State Spending Limitations	S. Reid	This joint resolution of the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to modify a provision of the Revenue and Taxation Article relating to state expenditures.	<u>SFI</u>							
SJR 26	Joint Resolution on Engagement in Public Education System	A. Osmond	This resolution expresses a legislative desire to improve collaboration between the Legislature and the State Board of Education; encourages legislators and State Board of Education members to spend time directly in the classrooms of the public education system and to report on the visits within seven days; and encourages the State Board of Education to provide an online repository where legislators and State Board of Education members can report on their classroom visits.	<u>SFI</u>							